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PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

Fortune is not more tickle than are her wooers.

Now is the time to do whatever you dislike to do.

Dyspepsia fears a bucksaw more than a pill box.

Opportunity is a slow coach that seldom overtakes, but may readily be overtaken.

The love of glory can only create a hero; the contempt of it creates & great man. A rich man despises those who flat-

ter him too much, and hates those who do not flatter him at all.

Cutting one's garment according to the cloth is poor policy, unless one happens to have a sufficiency of cloth.

If you wish to appear agreeable in society you must consent to be taught many things which you know already.

There are many vices which do not deprive us of friends; there are many virtues which prevent our having any.

There are two things to which we never grow accustomed-the ravages of time and the injustice of our fellow men.

The reputation of a man is like his shadow-gigantic when it precedes when it follows.

The errors of great men and the respective characters.

He who cannot feel friendship is beware of the man who owns that he loves no one but herself.

To succeed in the world it is much more necessary to possess the penetral lack of morals in politics. There is discover who a is clever man.

It is sometimes quite enough for a he knows, to gain the reputation of knowing that of which he is ignorant.

A great capitalist is like a vast lake, upon whose bosom ships can navigate, but which is useless to the country, tilize the land.

Carrying Milk in a Paper Bag.

"Here you are, two pounds of chops, good scant weight," said the merry Cranston street grocer to the young man of family who had brought in an order from his wife, "and now for young man of family protested that he hadn't read the order, and had not been equipped with a can. "Never mind," said the grocer; "here, hold on to it," and he dexterously slipped one paper sugar bag inside of another and filliped the corners into place. The two quarts of milk were poured into the inner bag. "The grease in the milk prevents it from going through the paper, as water would," explained the grocer. "I had hard work to get people to believe they could carry milk in a bag at first, and had to let it go at my own risk. I've sent it so half a mile by slow transit; still I'd advise you not to stop to tell any long stories on the way home."--[Providence (R. I.) Journal.

ane partn's Age. The age of the earth is estimated from the increment in the temperature as we pencirate its crust. The rate at which the earth cools can only be determined by making use of data confessedly imperfect; but from these Sir William Thomson finds that 100,000,-000 or 200,000,000 years ago it first began to be crusted over by a solid fire of rocks; that 10,000,000 years afterwards it was still so hot that the temperature increased two degrees Fahrenheit for every foot vertically descended below the zone of constant temperature. The present rate of increase averages about 1.51 of a degree for every foot .- ISL

Louis Republic.

The Nan Who Cannot Laugh. There are some individuals we really can't adore.

And the chiefest of the number is the very . trying bore, Who when you're feeling jolly and a bit of

fun would poke, Will never see the point until you diagram your joke.

eve assumes a vacant stare until he thinks awhile With great deliberation, then he dons a

faded smile. it would be a pleasure just to write the epitaph

And bide away the presence of the man who cannot laugh How like a biting frost that chills the roses

in their bloom Are sombre individuals who wear a cloak of gloom;

Who cannot comprehend the worth of just a spark of fun. Who shrink from joy and pleasure as the

bats avoid the sun. The deeper sober thought within the heart

should have a prace, But let glad laughter now and then the cares of life crase:

Away with him who cannot sift the kernels from the chaff! It e world could wag along without the man

who cannot laugh.

HUMOROUS.

It lacks point - A circle.

An empty pepper-box is out of sea-

The mane part of a horse is the back

An echo is like a woman, always determined to have the last word.

"I've gone through a great deal," remarked the saw as it emerged from The man who tried heroic measures

found they were several sizes too large

"Thank fortune," as the man said when his money opened to him the tioors of society.

Littleshort-Ah, Mr. Cutaway, how d do? What's the condition of trade this season? Cutaway (briefly)-

When there is no hawk flying around the biggest thing in the barnyard is the strut of the smallest

Young lady (to young man who kissed her) - That's very singular, sir. him, and pigmy in its proportion Young Mun-Ah, well, allow me to make it plural?

Why do you object to German good deeds of reprobates should not opera? It is full of vigor; it braces be reckoned in our estimates of their me right up." "That's my objection to it; it is Teutonic."

"Anything new on foot?" asked alike incapable of love. Let a woman one politician of another. "Yes," was the reply. "What is it?" "Our baby. He's just learned to walk."

There is constant complaint of the tion to discever who is a fool than to no place yet discovered, even out of politics, where there is an oversupply.

Canvasser-Can I see the good man man to feign ignorance of that which of the house, madame? Mrs. Naggers-No, you can't. There isn't any good man in the house. There's only my husband.

A story at hand, describing a love scene between the hero and heroine, because no stream issues thence to fer- says: "He wood her with a will." That's a good way, especially if the wooer is old and the will is in her

Physician (with ear to patient's chest-There is a severe swelling over the region of the heart which must be reduced at once. Patient (anxiously) -That swelling is my pocket-book, your milk; where's your can?" The doctor. Please don't reduce it too

> The other day a philanthropic New York lady found the following appeal among her usual grist of begging letters: "Dear Madam-Will you help me to get a position as teacher to support myself and two little ones? Also tell me where I can buy a parrot one

> > Fanciful Derivations.

The San Angelo (Tex.) Enterprise savs: "The term 'greaser," as applied to Mexicans of the lower classes, was not started, as many suppose, as a signification of disrespect, but was applied by a witty war correspondent in 1846, just after the battle of Palo Alto, to those Mexicans who had fo esworn allegiance to their own country and in preference to fighting taken the task of loading and unloading provi sion trains, which then consisted mostly of bacon. In this way they gained the name of the 'greaser brigade." Whatever the term implies, it is much older than the Enterprise supposes. It was known to the United States volunteer; who came to what is now the Indian territory in 1831, at the end of the Black Hawk war. The story that the name Maverick, applied to yearling cattle, was given on account of the head of the San Antonio family of that hame, is equally fabulous. It was in use in Louisiana before that state was a part of the United States .- [Dallas (Tex.) News.

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Mark These in Your Bible. And all things whatsoever ve shall

in prayer, believing, ye shall receive. - Matt 21:22 Then shall ye call upon me, and ye shall go and pray unto me, and I will

hearken unto you. -Jer 29:12. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures, he leadeth me beside the still waters. -Ps 23:2.

I will open rivers in high places, and fountains in the midst of the valleys; I vil make the wilderness a pool of water, and the dry land springs water .-Is 41:18.

The path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day. - Prov 4:18.

We glory in tribulation also, knowing that tribulation marketh patience, and rationce experience, and experience

hore. - Rom 5:3. Fear thou not, for I am with thee; be not dismayed, for I am thy God. - Is

Jones Was Right About It.

Brother, some people think if you start out to be reigiors you have to give up everything, and you can't make any money-you can't do anything; you have to give the whole business up. I was talking to a fellow some time ago, and he said: "Jones, the church is putting my as-

seasment a little too high." I said: "How much do you pay?" He said: "Five dollars a year."

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"Well, what did you do before you was converled?" "I was a drunkard."

"How much did you spend for whisky?" "I spent about \$250 a year."

"How much were you worth . "I rented land and was plowing a steer. "What have you got now?"

"I have got me a good plantation and a pair of horses. Well," said I, "you paid the devil \$250 a year for the privilege of plowing a steer, and now you don't want to

give God \$5 a year for plowing horses, You are a rascal from the crown of your head to the sole of your foot," There are a great many people that way. I have never known the Lord to bankrupt a man yet. I have never known a man that couldn't do better,

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